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LOBELIA PLANT NAMED 'LOBOUDTIS'

Latin name of the genus and species of the plant claimed

5 *Lobelia erinus*

Varietal Denomination

'Loboudtis'

10 **Background of the new plant**

The present invention relates to a new and distinct cultivar of Lobelia plant.

The new cultivar is propagated by cuttings resulting from the cross between 'R616' and 'Z925'.

15 'R616' is a light blue flower color selection of own breeding, having a spreading plant habit, rather strong growth, good branching planthabit and being early flowering.

'Z925' is a blue flower color selection of own breeding, having a strong growth, trailing planthabit and being early flowering.

Neither 'R616' or 'Z925' has been patented.

20 As a result of this cross the present cultivar was created in 2000 in Enkhuizen, Netherlands and has been repeatedly asexually reproduced by cuttings in Enkhuizen over a 2 year period.

Is has been found to retain its distinctive characteristics through successive propagations and this novelty appears to be firmly fixed.

Description of the photograph

25 This new Lobelia plant is illustrated by the accompanying photograph which shows blooms, buds and foliage of the plant in full color, the color shown being as true as can be reasonably obtained by conventional photographic procedures.